Allotment of Wheat and Rice.

*Q.—409. SRI S. GOPAL GOWDA (Thirthahalli).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the quantity of rice and wheat allotted to the State by the Central Government during August, September, October, November and December, 1964 ;

(*b*) whether the State Government have obtained the full quota relating to all the months mentioned above ;

(*c*) whether it is a fact that the quota for the month of August, was sold in Black-market at Avadi, Madras State ;

(*d*) the number of cases launched against such of the illegal hoarders and profitiers in the State during the said months ?

*A.—SRI B. D. JATHI (Minister for Food).—

(*a*) and (*b*) The appended Statement shows the quantity of rice and wheat allotted to the State by the Central Government during the period from August to December, 1964 and the quantity actually received in this State.

The shortfall in the receipts was due to transport bottlenecks and other practical difficulties.

(*c*) No such instances have come to the notice of Government.

(*d*) Does not arise in view of the reply to Clause (c)

STATEMENT

Month	Rice (in tonnes)		Wheat (in tonnes)	
	Allotment	Receipt	Allotment	Receipt
August, 1964 ...	4,480	2,840	18,020	20,140
September, 1964 ...	4,548	3,688	18,157	14,710
October, 1964 ...	3,886	2,158	14,925	7,521
November, 1964 ...	3,385	1,784	15,135	12,245
December, 1964 ...	3,088	2,266	15,810	13,539